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ROCKPORT.

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W. T. Rowe,	" 11	" 14	" 16	" 16

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Fred Tenton,	" 18	" 16	" 17	" 17

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Country Produce of all kinds at highest market price taken in exchange for goods.

THE TATTOOED KNIGHT.

By His.

Just as November 'des were o'er
A stranger wandered weary and sore,
His halting step, his sorry plight,
His drooping plume of tarnished white,
His wasted face, remembrance claim—
'Tis the Tattooed Knight, 'tis Jas G. Blaine.
Columbia saw him, as in a dream,
Then starting forth, she gave a scream,
"Oh, James," she cried, "can this be you
Who stands before me, sad and blue
Who looks as if he was n. g.,
The leader of the G. O. P.?
Alas, alas, it is but plain,
'Tis the Tattooed Knight, 'tis Jas. G. Blaine."
"Nay, nay, Columbia, frown not on me,
A disfigured man you plainly see;
In politics I'm burst quite flat,
Though I am not to blame for that—
The weather, my dear, has been severe,
And caused my health to disappear.
I've been around for quite a while
To see the world, my friends to guile;
I've traveled far, like old bad Ben
Black Jack Logan, and all such men;
But I have returned to my own dear clan
A wiser and a sadder man."
"What prompted thee, unhappy Knight,
To leave thy home and fireside to-night,
To travel far o'er this broad land
To shake the meanest by the hand?
You did not go for love of gain
To Illinois from far-off Maine?"
"Columby sweet, my life to me
Is a perfect blank when I'm from thee.
For years and years I've strived in vain
To win your smiles, your hand to gain.
But many things have kept me down
Which made your brow on me to frown.
I prithee, and tell, tell me pa'in,
Why I have failed your hand to gain?"
"Doomed wretched knight by my strongest arm
I seech an through into your heart.
That is enough. It is my mind
All your advances to decline.
Can you expect my fond embrace
When you have gone so far from grace?
You forged a slimy clinging letter
When you told Fisher, 'Burn this letter,'
And will your conscience ever tally
For taking stock in Hocking Valley?
And you have been so awfully wayward,
You cast an anchor to the windward.
You tried and failed with me to flirt
By waving hard a nasty shirt.
The humble South you ill assailed;
I do not like the way you railed.
The South is mine I wish it well;
It is not right to wish it h-ll.
I tell you, man, that time is by;
The present it is that needs my eye.
Your public life, oh Tattooed Knight,
Is black in spots as Egyptian night."
At this the Knight reclined his poll
Upon his breast; and in his soul
He wished it unfathoms deep
He was beneath a coral heap
In Ocean's dread and salty brine,
Out of reach of all mankind.
He stood a while in this position
Without a motion or transition
Until braced-up by grim despair
He looked up at the goddess fair
And spake: 'Say, is it too late
To get a berth for '88?"
"Your prospect, errant Knight, is dim,
Your chances, brazen one, are slim.
Take my advice, with pity fraught:
Set every worldly thing at naught.
Go take a sail to foreign climes,
See Scotia's lochs, seek Levant limes;
Behold the Alps' eternal crown
Of snow, where Chamois dare not bound.
Perhaps all this will cleanse your heart
Of sordidness and crafty art.
Or hie thee away to Kennebec.
Try there to be more circumspect.
Now farewell. The host demand
That I to Cleveland give my hand."

Italy's Greatest Tragic Actress.

ADELAIDE RISTORI, NOW ACTING IN THE UNITED STATES.

One of the greatest actresses now living, called by her admirers "the Queen of Tragedy," has begun her fourth tour in this country. She has arranged to act in English exclusively, so that the public will have the fullest opportunity to enjoy her performances. Ristori speaks our tongue thoroughly well, and her repertoire will give full scope for the employment of her greatest powers. It comprises "Queen Elizabeth," "Marie Stuart," "Marie Antoinette," and "Lady Macbeth."

The actress was born to parents who made a precarious living as strolling players. Friuli, in Venetian Lombardy, was her birthplace. From her birth in 1821 to 1833, when she was twelve years old, Ristori lived with her parents. During the later part of this period she took parts on the humble stage. In 1835 she succeeded in making the impression which "led to fortune." She was fourteen at that time, and endowed with remarkable beauty and grace, which emphasized the extraordinary ability she manifested in the drama of "Francesca da Rimini." Within a few years she rose to the position of the greatest Italian actress, one which she still holds. When twenty-six years of age she was married to the Marquis Capranica del Grillo, who, with their two children, a daughter of twenty-five, and a son, are now with her in this country. A considerable time elapsed before the family of the Marquis became reconciled to the match, which proved to be a happy one, notwithstanding the circumstances under which it was made. After her marriage Ristori continued in retirement about two years. In 1849 she appeared in Rome, in Alfieri's tragedy of "Myrrha." The season was interrupted by the French siege of that city, when Ristori employed herself in nursing wounded soldiers. It may be well to say here, that in the terrible war between France and Italy on one side and Austria on the other, in 1859, she again served humanity in the same way. Ristori recommenced acting in 1850, in the city of Rome. From that date until 1855 she appeared frequently in Turin, Rome and other cities. Her first appearance in Paris was in 1856, when Rachel was at the height of her fame. Ristori suffered nothing in the inevitable comparison of her powers with that of her rival. Eminent men of letters penned her praises, including Jules Janin and Dumas. From Paris Ristori started on an European tour which was one continued triumph. Crowned heads added to the unnumbered honors bestowed on her. The Czarina of Russia presented her with a diploma as Lady of the Palace; she was appointed "private reader" to the Empress of Austria, and the King of Prussia made her a member of the Order of Merit.

In 1866 Ristori made her first appearance in the United States. She acted in twenty-eight cities, and made $270,000 by her tour. She came again in 1867, and the third time in 1875. Her first appearance this visit was in Philadelphia.

What's in a Name.

What's in a name, when so many things, persons, parties, churches and nations are not what their *names* would seem to imply? All is not gold that glitters—marigolds are stinking weeds, called flowers; "Sinners" are Christians and "Christians" are sinners; the Republicans are not Republicans, because Republicans are Democrats opposed to the centralization of wealth and power and the consolidation of Government; the "Latter Day Saints" (Mormons) are not "Saints," but beastly sinners; England, said to be civilized, is a nation that has played the robber and tyrant in every quarter of the Globe—she took lands from the Irish and the Hindoos alike; she paid for the scalps of Kentuckians and she blew Sepoys from the mouths of her cannon.

The rich man has money, and bonds, and lands; but is sometimes as "poor as a church mouse" in good qualities.

The Reformers, the Apostles of Liberty, of Religion, of Thought—Benefactors of the World, have ever been poor, persecuted, exiled—have suffered martyrdom in more senses than one.

"Poverty is the jest of every wealthy fool,
And wit in rags is turned to ridicule."

No matter how intelligent and refined the poor day-laborer may be, he is scorned by the rich—and by fools.

The "tramp," seeking employment, or vending his wares, may be rich in knowledge—may have a cultured and versatile mind, but he is an object of suspicion, and is given "cold comfort." Well, well! Some wonderful persons were "tramps"—such as Jesus, the Nazarene; Luther, the Reformer; Howard, the Philanthropist.

No man liveth unto himself alone, and Faith, Hope and Charity should be a trio in every Christian's creed.

It is more blessed to give than to receive, but few ever obtain the greater blessedness.

O, how little, sordid and selfish the soul of one who would refuse a meal of victuals to a hungry person! Still, there are such persons, and they are called ladies and gentlemen, and *they claim* to be Christians!

Names are often misleading, false and deceptive, but principles are eternal, when founded in truth and carried out in righteousness.

"Actions speak louder than words," and the good deeds of men and women are never lost, but are safely treasured in Heaven; while their professions roll down the paths of infamy and find a home with Satan. W. H. CUNDIFF.

Horse Branch Siftings.

December 6, 1884

Editor Herald:

Tobacco buyers are thick in this neighborhood. Most of the weed has been sold at from 5 to 7 cents.

W. P. Allen and P. H. Alford had a tolerably fair time for fox-hunting last week. They take up over half their time at hunting in these their old days. They commenced a chase the 1st inst. and ended it on the 5th, and caught—a very bad cold, as usual. Neither can work now, but thinks he will be ready for another hunt in a day or two.

The school in this district, taught by Miss Holloway was out Friday. Several young ladies and gentlemen visited the school that day, and enjoyed themselves exceedingly. L. E.

Centertown, Ohio County.

Centertown is a live little place of nearly one hundred inhabitants; two dry goods stores and one drug store; one collar and harness shop, conducted by Rone Bros., formerly of Russellville; one blacksmith shop, a saw and corn mill, which is now out of repair. It is surrounded by a fertile section of country with some as nice and well improved farms as are to be found in the Green river country; with good churches and school houses and an intelligent and enterprising set of people.

Tobacco and hay are the staple crops raised in this part of the county, though corn and wheat are raised in sufficient quantities to supply the demand.

Coal abounds in great profusion. Cattle, hogs and mules comprise the principle kinds of stock raised for market. The saw log and stone trade are among the leading branches of business in the Green river country. It would be hard to give an estimate of the number of rafts, which go out of Green and Rough rivers annually.

Quite a number of former Logan Countians reside in this county. The medical profession is especially well represented. R. J. Morris and wife formerly of Russellville, are worthy members of Hartford society.

For several years Ohio county people, in seeking new homes, went to Kansas and Texas, but more recently a majority go to Florida; quite a number having gone there in the last year.

Several persons from this county will attend the World's Exposition at New Orleans this winter.

The Owensboro District, presided over by Presiding Elder Geo. R. Browder, one of the most eloquent and sweet spirited christian gentlemen Logan county was ever honored with, embraces this county, and he held Quarterly Conference at Ceralvo a few weeks ago, at which time myself and better half had the esteemed privilege of hearing him preach.

Our county is as healthy at this time as it has been for a long time. During the summer months flux and typhoid fever prevailed to an alarming extent in parts of the county; notably in McHenry, Cromwell and Beaver Dam.

Your paper is a welcome visitor to this office every week; indeed it seems strange now how we have been doing without it as long as we have.—*S. in the Herald Enterprise.*

Something For the Baby.

What a terrible affliction about the house is a cross, crying baby! A young man on the very edge of matrimony might easily be frightened from his purpose by having too much of that sort of music at the homes of his married friends. Yet babies cry commonly only when they are sick. One teaspoonful of Parker's Tonic, given the little one, will bring rest and sleep to the baby and all in the house. Only 50 cents, at druggists. 49 4t

Judge Little's Opinion in the Case of Porter and others against E. O. Porter and others in the Ohio Circuit Court.

JUDGMENT.

This day this cause coming on for trial and the court, after hearing the argument of counsel, and being sufficiently advised, doth order that a writ of mandamus issue against E. O. Porter, or his successor in office as Justice of the Peace for Ohio county, directing him to enter judgment on the verdict returned in favor of plaintiffs, James O. Porter and Elvis H. Porter in the inquisition of forcible detainer of said plaintiffs, and against one Vinson Embry, tried on the 13th day of March, 1882, within ten days, and plaintiffs will recover of defendants their costs herein expended, to which defendants except and appeal granted, and this cause is stricken from the docket.

OPINION.

Plaintiffs sued out a writ of forcible detainer against Embry for certain lands. The writ was executed and at the trial defendant, E. O. Porter, a Justice of the Peace, presided. Verdict, guilty. Embry thereupon asked a new trial, which the Justice undertook to grant. Plaintiffs bring their petition, praying a writ of mandamus to compel the Justice to enter judgment upon the verdict. Two questions are presented:

1. Can a justice set aside an inquisition over which he has presided and award a new trial?

2. Will mandamus lie to compel the justice to enter judgment upon the verdict of the jury?

The functions of the officer presiding at an inquisition of forcible entry or detainer are defined by the Civil Code of Practice with marked precision.

1. On complaint a justice may issue the warrant.

2. At the time for holding the inquisition the officer shall return the warrant to any justice who may attend, whereupon the latter shall administer the proper oath to the jury, superintend the taking of the inquisition, swear witnesses, decide legal questions which may arise, preserve the peace, enforce the rules of decorum and punish according to law contempts of his authority, issue subpenas for witnesses and coerce their attendance. Secs. 454, 456, 457, 458.

3. The jury shall say by their inquest whether defendant is guilty or not guilty of the forcible entry or detainer complained of, and return it, signed by one of their body, to the justice. Sec. 459.

4. Upon the return of the inquest the justice shall enter judgment according to the inquisition, etc. Sec. 460.

5. If the party against whom the inquisition is found fail to file a traverse of the inquisition with the justice who presided, on or before the third day after the finding of the inquest, execution shall be issued, etc. Sec. 461.

6. If either party consider himself aggrieved by the finding of the jury he may file with the justice a traverse in three days after the finding. Sec. 460.

The justice shall thereupon take bond of the traverser, with sufficient surety, stay proceedings, and return the papers to the Circuit Court within ten days thereafter.

The foregoing is in substance all the authority the presiding officer has or can exercise in relation to an inquisition of forcible entry or detainer.

It is, however, contended that the chapter on new trials applies to such inquisitions, and that the justice may award a new trial for the same causes and in the same manner as in trials at his quarterly terms. Sec. 340, Civil Code, provide: "A new trial is a reexamination in the same court of an issue of fact after a verdict by a jury or a decision by a court." This provision does not support the position contended for. Among other reasons equally convincing is this: A new trial is the reexamination of an issue in a court. An inquisition is not a trial in a court. It is an inquiry in the country. All inquests are not conducted in the same mode, but all have common characteristics. If not final they cannot be revised or set aside by the authority that conducted them in the country. Some other tribunal is vested with revisory power. The powers and duties of the presiding justice are definitely prescribed, and beyond these he cannot go. Having received the verdict of the jury he had but one duty to perform and that was to enter judgment in conformity.

2. Does mandamus lie? It is an order of a court of competent and original jurisdiction, commanding an executive or ministerial officer to perform an act or omit to do an act, the performance or omission of which is enjoined by law. Sec. 477, Civil Code.

Many of the powers of a justice are judicial—others ministerial in their character.

Officers who empanel juries of *ad quod damnum*, act only ministerially. So of coroner's inquests. In presiding in forcible detainer the justice is empowered to decide legal questions during the trial. This is the only strictly judicial function he exercises. After the inquest is returned all the acts he thenceforward performs are those "enjoined by law." He *shall* enter judgment upon the inquisition and he *shall* issue execution. The mandate of the Code is as absolute in the one case, as the other.

That issuing an execution is a mere ministerial act will not be disputed. Entering judgment in this particular case is no more. So far as there is any thing judicial in this proceeding it is the inquisition. The appeal (traverse) is not from the judgment on the inquisition, but from the inquisition itself. The judgment is but a mere mode of rendering the inquisition effectual, even as an execution is the means of enforcing an ordinary judgment.

Whilst courts will never interfere to control the exercise of judicial discretion, yet where no room is left for the exercise of discretion mandamus will lie.

Mandamus is an extraordinary remedy and will not be allowed where a party has other adequate modes of relief. But if this court should not interfere what remedy have the plaintiffs? They have succeeded in their inquisition. It is yet valid and unaffected by the order granting a new trial. Still the justice will not enter judgment upon it. If this court now withholds its aid, the law will prove powerless to enforce a clear legal right. A writ of mandamus is awarded directing judgment to be entered upon the inquisition.

It has been suggested that pending this litigation the official term of defendant Porter has expired. His successor, to whom he delivered his official records, and presumably the papers relating to this inquisition, is directed to enter judgment thereon within ten days.

Plaintiffs will recover their costs.

LUCIUS P. LITTLE, Judge.

Our Presidents.

"The Lives and Graves of Our Presidents," is the title of a late work by G. S. Weaver, D. D., and published by the Elder Publishing Company, of Chicago, Ill. The work is neatly bound, beautifully illustrated and contains about 500 pages. It is printed in two styles of binding and sold at $2.75 and $3.50 which is remarkably low for the character and make-up of the book. Prof. M. E. Chapin, of Nashville, Tenn., is canvassing the County taking orders for this work. 49 tf

GROVER CLEVELAND

His peculiarities Pleasantly Described.

"Unless I am greatly mistaken in human nature in general and Grover Cleveland in particular, there will be a lot of people disappointed in this city on the 4th of March," observed a brother of Secretary Post of the Democratic Congressional Committee. "I know Grover Cleveland personally and well, and if he rides in a carriage at the head of a procession from the Capitol to the White House after the inauguration I shall be very much surprised. He is one of the plainest men I ever saw. He doesn't believe in display in the first place, and he wouldn't want to be bored with such an affair if he did. No, he is not cranky; he is a plain man—that's it. Always at the Executive Mansion at Albany he lives like a farmer. I have often seen him around there. He always prefers walking from the depot to the Executive Mansion in returning home He seldom rides to a theatre or any where about town. There are no secretive qualities about him. Any and everything he does he thinks all right, and he doesn't care to keep it a secret, and if he makes it public it there are any circumstances connected with it calling for publicity. I was not surprised to hear the Maria Halpin story. I venture he never tried to cover that up. If he was guilty he didn't think it was disgraceful, and so he gave it all the latitude it wanted. He has no regard for his personal reputation. He simply does what he wants to and lets the people put their own construction upon his purposes in doing it. That will be his line in the White House."

"Somebody says he is stubborn," I suggested. "Well, if he isn't I never saw an obstinate man," laughingly replied Mr. Post. "He is said to do just the contrary to popular clamor, if he can find anything to justify him."

"He won't make removals from office to gratify the party then?"

"Not much. If a man wants him to let him remain in office, he had better not bother him much; and if a man wants an appointment, he would do well to do his request properly. He is not the man who would make changes, just for the novelty of having changes; neither would he remove a faithful officer, if he knew it, to appease clamor. He would however, remove an officer if he didn't do his work well, and if he didn't work long."

"Industrious Grover, then?"

"Works more hours a day than any public officer I ever saw. He will be at his desk by 7 or 8 o'clock every morning when he gets into the White House and if his day's work is not done at 6 o'clock in the evening, he will stay and complete it, if it takes him all night. This kind of work he will require of his subordinates. You will find him at the White House in July and August mopping the perspiration from his face, and at work. You will find him there during the holidays—at all times he will be there at work, and everbody who has legitimate business with him can get to see him and can talk to him as though he were an ordinary every-day man of business."

"He will inaugurate a new regime, eh?"

"Exactly that I mean. He will go back to the days of Thomas Jefferson in the way he will conduct his work and himself. I predict there will be dismissals from service pretty frequently, and the ground assigned will be negligence of duty. He will make everbody work. But, as I was about saying, he will disappoint the people when he is inaugurated. It is my impression of him that he will go to the Capitol by some round-about way, and as soon as the ceremony is over and he has said his little piece he will hurry to the White House. He won't ride in the gorgeous carriage, driven tandem, maybe, as is usual. I wouldn't be surprised to see him walk. If he doesn't it will be because he is advised not to do so. Grover Cleveland knows little of public men or public life, except as he has read it. He has a horror, for display, and will not entertain much when he is occupant of the White House."—*Indianapolis Journal Washington Correspondent.*

A great deal of the time of the young men of the present day goes to waist.

SANDWICHES.

Head-Work—Shampooing.

A footpad—The cork sole.

Where there's a Bill there's a Will.

Expensive sweetmeats—Honeyed words.

From among the many testimonials received we select the following written by J. H. Carter, a resident of Phelps county, Mo., who says, "I have used Sherman's Prickly Ash Bitters to the best advantage, and can honestly testify that it has done myself and family an immense good, and from my experience recommend it highly to all sufferers." 49 4t

Like the earth, many a man's political aspirations are flattened at the polls.

Don't shake with chills or burn with fever. Wilder's Chill Tonic is the sure cure.

"Hurry, mamma," said the little innocent with his cut finger, "it's leaking."

Torn to pieces with a cough? Wilder's Wild Cherry Tonic will mend

It is but natural that girls who use powder should also wear bangs. Bangs always follow the use of powder.

"Fine birds make fine feathers," and Wilder's Sarsaparilla and Potash make the blood pure and healthy.

Four sisters named Carr were married at Joliet recently, and the clergyman who performed the ceremonies is now called a patent Carr coupler.

Does death end all? Well, no: but Wilder's Stomach Bitters ends all *Indigestion Consumption* and *Billiousness.*

Rich men will employ none other than educated and handsome men as coachmen. No man of position likes to see his son in law unable to fill with credit his proper sphere in life.

A young man is made better by a sister's love and Fever and Ague are *cured* by Wilder's Chill Tonic, also *malaria* and periodical disorders.

There are few things beyond the reach of man when he has the nerve to reach bravely for the coveted prize. It is only the shrinking that cringe before adversity's lash.

It is better to be a man, with all his genuine attributes, and have not a cent in your purse, than to have a full purse and an empty heart, leaving but a shadow instead of substance.

"What is a curiosity, ma?" asked little Jamie. "A curiosity is something that is very strange, my son." "If pa bought you a seal skin sacque this winter would that be a curiosity?" "No, my son, that would be a miracle."

Man should not permit circumstances to make him, but he should make circumstances to his own mould.

A Pennsylvania lady, ninety-three years of age, milks, washes and bakes for a family of three persons. A great deal can be got out of old people if they are properly managed. Young people do not get half enough rest.

"What do you think of this reception?" asked the leader of a vigilance committee, as he placed a rope around a horse thief's neck. "I wouldn't mind it a particle if it were a little less cordial," was the significant reply.

Experimental fallacies often lead one to deplore rashness, and, ingratitude is sometimes the worst paying stock in which a man can invest.

The beauty of the soul that shines through woman's eyes is the material of which a bridge is made, connecting mortality with immortality.

It is all very well to say a man is the architect of his own fortune, but he must have material out of which to build, or his plan is not worth much.

Deep-seated in every man's heart is the desire to do good, but greed and avarice frequently smother the grass-plot with weeds and destroy the beauty of life.

Six-year-old—"Ma, what's mellow?" Mother—"Ripe." Six-year old—"Then is pa ripe?" Mother—"Why do you ask?" Six year-old—"Cause the clerk said to the chambermaid that pa came home rather mellow last night."—*San Francisco Wasp.*

THE HERALD.

JOHN P. BARRETT, - - EDITOR

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17 1884.

The people of Rowan, Breathitt and Carter send their congratulations to the Court of Appeals.

'Bis's' poem on the first page is good. It would have been printed three weeks ago if we had not mislaid the manuscript.

THE small boy and a strict mother have oftentimes verified the old saying, 'Go a fishing on Sunday and you'll catch the devil.'

GENERAL GRANT's refusal to accept the pension proposed for him in Congress raises him considerably in the estimation of his friends and the people.

IF every other citizen in Rowan and a half-dozen other Mountain counties were taken up and hung, possibly deviltry might become less frequent up that way.

THE attention of teachers in this Congressional district is called to a card addressed to them by the Vice President of the State Teachers' Association for the Fourth District, which appears in another column.

THE educational department in the Breckenridge *News*, edited by Mr. Robt. E. Woods, is the best thing of the kind we know of. It can not be but beneficial to every one that partakes of its intellectual and moral *pabulum*.

THE *Capital* published at Frankfort by the Public Printer and edited by J. H. Woods and Geo. V. Triplett, grows better and brighter every issue. Its last issue contained a large and complete table of the official vote of Kentucky for the electors of the recent Presidential election.

E. C. HUBBARD, Republican Elector for the State at Large, received about 73,000 more votes than the negro Gentry, his running-mate. In Christian county even, which is overwhelmingly Republican, Mr. Hubbard led Gentry by 817 votes. The Republicans are not such bosom friends to the darky as they pretend to be.

WE are glad that the letters of Mr. W. T. Ellis, which he wrote to the Owensboro *Inquirer* about his European trip, will shortly be published in book form. The several it was our good fortune to read were exceedingly interesting, and we eagerly await the coming edition of them all together. We are proud to know that this immediate part of the State, Beotia as our haughty Bluegrass brethren deem, is able to yield and rear such a man as Mr. Ellis.

The Court of Appeals.

The *Courier-Journal* has this much to say concerning the reversal of the Rankin case:

"The decision of the Court of Appeals, granting this convicted criminal a new trial, should, if it does not, startle this community; it virtually throws down all barriers against the crime of murder. It hedges about with the endless and interminable technicalities of law every man with blood on his hands.

"Striking as is the decision, the opinion on which it is based is even more alarming. It declares in effect that all the plans of the prosecution must be made known to and approved by the defense. The testimony of the witness in question merely exposed a conspiracy to clear Rankin by manufactured testimony. It revealed a condition of affairs which is a disgrace to any community. The Commonwealth's Attorney says that perjury in this case was barefaced, and that one witness fled the next day to escape prosecution.

"Thus was justice thwarted! Thus was truth perverted! Thus was the memory of the victim maligned, and a stain placed on his name! Thus did falsehood and perjury shield the criminal and undermine the very foundations of organized society!

"The Commonwealth's Attorney baffled the conspirators. The plans of the friends of the murderer were unearthed and exposed. His whole defense fell like a house of cards. The marvel was that, with the case all in, the jury did not fix death as the penalty.

"There could be no more serious blow struck at society. Nothing could do more than such an opinion to encourage lawlessness and increase murder. It is only the criminal classes the law protects. Their rights, real or imaginary, must be most sacredly guarded. The dead have no rights; they tell no tales; they can take no appeals. The only men in this community whose lives are safe are those who have killed a man.

"The Court of Appeals is driving us on to anarchy. The records show reversals of murder cases on every imaginary pretext. There is no point too small, too insignificant, too flimsy, too frivolous, to sustain a hope for the reversal of any case which ends in a conviction for murder. The ruling of a Judge, if he should dare rule; the zeal of the State's Attorney, if he should dare be zealous; the intelligence of a jury or its ignorance; the intoxication or the sanity of the accused; the good or the evil character of his victim—all these have at one time or another served as pretexts for some decision enlarging the privileges of the criminal classes and bringing the law-abiding citizens more completely under their dominion.

"The remedy for such a deplorable condition of affairs is far to seek; let us trust our people will be patient and preserving in their search for it."

The Official Vote.

The following table contains the official vote of the United States for Presidential Electors. The increase in the vote since four years ago is 775,571, of which the Democrats received 450,839 and the Republicans 385,070. The Greenback party has lost 189,857 votes and the Prohibitionists have gained 120,513:

STATES.	Cleveland & Hendricks.	Blaine and Logan.	Butler and West.	St John and Daniel.
Alabama	92,973	59,144	762	610
Arkansas	72,900	51,714	1,068	......
California	89,287	100,816	1,975	2,910
Colorado	27,927	36,277	1,957	767
Connecticut	67,167	65,893	1,684	2,489
Delaware	17,054	12,778	6	55
Florida	31,748	[illegible]	......	......
Georgia	94,567	47,961	125	184
Illinois	312,355	337,474	10,910	12,074
Indiana	244,992	238,480	8,716	3,018
Iowa	177,286	197,089	......	1,472
Kansas	90,100	154,406	1,704	4,273
Kentucky	152,757	118,674	1,655	3,106
Louisiana	[illegible]	[illegible]	......	......
Maine	52,140	72,209	3,953	2,160
Maryland	96,932	85,699	531	2,794
Massachusetts	122,352	146,724	24,382	9,923
Michigan	189,361	192,669	......	......
Minnesota	70,144	111,923	3,587	[illegible]
Mississippi	78,547	43,771	......	......
Missouri	235,972	202,929	......	[illegible]
Nebraska	54,354	76,877	......	2,858
Nevada	5,578	7,193	26	......
New Hampshire	39,183	43,249	552	1,571
New Jersey	127,784	123,442	3,491	6,155
New York	563,154	562,005	17,004	25,006
North Carolina	142,905	125,068	......	[illegible]
Ohio	368,280	400,082	5,179	11,269
Oregon	24,604	26,860	726	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	[illegible]	[illegible]	16,992	15,306
R Island	12,391	19,030	422	928
S Carolina	69,894	21,733	......	......
Tennessee	[illegible]	[illegible]	957	1,132
Texas	225,309	88,353	3,321	3,511
Vermont	17,331	39,514	785	1,752
Virginia	145,497	139,356	......	......
W Virginia	67,317	63,096	810	939
Wisconsin	146,459	161,157	4,598	7,656
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	117,883	[illegible]

*Fusion with Republicans. †Fusion with Democrats.

A Word to Our Subscribers.

We found, as the time approached, that we could not get ready for our Gift Distribution on Christmas day, and hence we postponed it one week. It will positively come off on New Year's day. The postponement enables us to complete our volume for 1884, which closes with our next issue and gives us ample time to get ready for the Drawing on New Year's day. Every subscriber who renews by the 30th of this month will be entitled to a chance, and every person who subscribes and pays $1.50 by that date is entitled to a chance. We are adding valuable articles to the list every day. Do not delay, but come at once and have your name enrolled.

What's in a Name

The California papers are filled with glowing descriptions of the Thirty-first Annual State Fair, held at Sacramento, Sept. 8th to 20th. This was the largest fair ever held in California. Among the other attractive features, were large money prizes offered for the best floral displays. This created a great rivalry and by a strange coincidence the last two designs, which were awarded the highest prizes, consisted of the name St. Jacobs Oil elaborately worked in flowers; one with the words on the ground piece in tube roses and rare flowers, and another representing a bank, five to six feet high, had the same inscription. This incident is a striking illustration of the universal popularity of the Great German Remedy, not only in the usual channels where its great virtues have been made known, but everywhere in almost every concern of life.

Circuit Court.

Sam K. Cox has been re-appointed Trustee of the Jury Fund.

T C Snell, W R Jones, H C Brown, Wilson Chapman, L L Taylor, Ben Burden, E H Burton, Eli Martin, Hardin Smith, Richard Leach, Samuel Cope, G L O'Bannon, Ellis Chapman, Henry Taylor, W W Gaines, James Scott, J M Stewart, H A Miller, Elijah Chinn, W W Bartlett, R R Paxton and J H Davis, are the petit jury for the rest of the term.

The Court of Appeals having reversed the judgments in the cases of John D. Ogden, Appellant, vs. Sallie B. Ogden, Appellee, and Obed Bennett, Appellant, vs. T. H. Baird, Appellee, and remanded them for a new trial, these actions have therefore been restored to the docket and new trial granted in each.

The mandate from the Court of Appeals, in the case of Press Davis, Appellant, vs. Commonwealth, Appellee, affirming the proceedings of this court, was ordered to be spread upon the record. Davis killed Buck Johnson last spring near Hogg's Falls, and would have looked up a rope on the 12th of September following if he had not broken jail.

John Hunter, colored, tried and convicted at this term for striking and wounding with intent to kill, and being refused a new trial, was on Saturday sentenced to the penitentiary for one year.

The jury could not agree in the case of Melinda Tyro vs. John Chinn (appeal).

John P. Barrett has been re-appointed Master Commissioner and Receiver.

Judgments were awarded for plaintiffs in the cases of H. Smith vs. Lucinda Stevens and Samuel H. French vs. C. W. Phillips et al.

Verdicts were returned in the following cases: J. R. Reid, exr., vs. R. J. Daniel, for plaintiff; Martha E. Warden vs. J. H. Ambrose, for plaintiff; Henry Shroader vs. S. D. Morgan et al., for defendants; Harrison Austin, admr., vs. James Maddox et al., for defendant H. P. Wise, against defendant James Maddox for rent, and continued against D. A. Maddox; D. T. Wilson vs. M W Stone (appeal), for defendant.

Court will wind up this week. It has been very uneventful to the public generally.

Yesterday in the case of Wm. Ferguson against his uncle, Samuel Ferguson, for slander and $10,000 damages, the jury returned a verdict for the defendant. The case had been on trial for two days, and attracted much attention on account of a little scandal that was associated with it.

A NOTABLE BOOK.

Pictorial History, Romance and Philosophy of Celebrated American Criminals.

Among the announcements of new publications of the present season is one embracing the tragedy of American history from the foundation of the republic to the present day.

American History has in every period been distinguished by startling phases. Boldness of conception, breadth of plan, energy of execution, tenacity and courage characterize her annals. These traits are illustrative not only of her laudable achievements, and of those who advance her civilization—her commerce, schools, churches—her material, moral and intellectual prosperity, but they characterize as well as those whose efforts have been to pull down and destroy. That the latter constitute a material portion of that history, one of necessary instruction and interest to every thoughtful reader and student who would be informed in his country's annals, is a fact which all will recognize.

"The proper study of mankind is man," wrote the Poet and Moralist, Alexander Pope. This work presents *man*, the most complex of all subjects, in his startling phases, and as a feature of American history, apt in its scope and design, it is of absorbing interest.

Gibbon picturing truly the crimes, effeminacy and lasciviousness of the later Roman Empire—Gillis pointing out the terrible degeneracy of the demagogues of Athens, and Hume picturing the fraudulent crimes of England of the 13th, 14th and 15th centuries, performed the part of wise teachers in warning their countrymen against similar lapses from the straight and narrow paths of honor, honesty and truth. In a similar spirit has the Author of "History, Romance and Philosophy of Great American Crimes and Criminals" portrayed the typical crimes and criminals of the various eras of our country.

The work is in the main Biographical and embraces among others the Crimes and conspiracies of John A. Murrell, the great Southwestern Land Pirate; the Gigantic Schemes of Col Monroe Edwards, the Napoleon of Forgers, etc., etc, the Mountain Meadow Massacre; Murders and Burglaries of Ruloff, the Great Philologist; the Murder of Dr. Parkman by Prof. Webster; the Cunningham-Burdell Mystery; the Lowery Gang, the Swamp Angels of North Carolina; the Colt-Adams Murder; Hill Evans Feud in Kentucky; Career of Cullen Baker, the Arkansas Desperado; the Helen Jewett-Frank Rivers Murder; Ben Thompson, of Texas, the Man-Slayer; James and Younger Brothers, etc., etc.

Its pictorial feature is one of more than usual attraction—embracing 161 superb engravings including personal portraits of the celebrated criminals.

It is sold by subscription. The canvassing agent for such a work will find the latch string out, and a patronage that will make his business assuredly profitable. N. D. Thompson & Co., St. Louis, Mo., and New York City, are the enterprising publishers. We advertise them in another column.

W. T. Ellis' Letters.

The *Inquirer* hopes to give the public as early as possible the volume already announced, containing the letters of Mr. W. T. Ellis, which have appeared from week to week in its columns. The inquiries received concerning the book warrant the belief that it will meet with a generous reception. Positive arrangements have been made for the rapid prosecution of the undertaking, and the work of republication will be begun at once. Agents will make a thorough canvass for the book, but in the meantime all subscriptions may be sent to the *Inquirer*.

The volume will contain about two hundred pages, will be printed on good heavy paper and neatly bound in cloth. It will be sold at one dollar a volume.

The letters as they have appeared in the *Inquirer* have been, to the friends of the writer, a continual revelation of a power which he had never before had an opportunity of showing that he possessed. Already widely known as an orator, he has proved himself equally worthy of renown as a writer. His letters are brilliant, entertaining and instructive, and the little volume which will be issued will doubtless find many interested readers.—*Owensboro Inquirer.*

You are Welcome.

SHREVE, Ky., Dec. 8th, 1884.

Editor Herald:

I was very much gratified when I read an editorial in your issue of Nov. 26th, in which you used the following language:

"The Maine statesman is certainly not deserving of all the vituperation that has been cast at him since his nomination. He is not a wretch and villian. Else he would not have made such a creditable and all but successful race; he would not have been so faithfully and enthusiastically followed where he was personally well-known; he would not have held his own so long as he. He is a remarkable man. With his immense political talents and his literary venture he is as great a man as these days and times afford, and his fame will be far incommensurate to his natural existence."

There is such a contrast between the above language and that of some other local editors, I could but notice and mark it.

Blaine was defeated; yet that fact does not demand such usage at the hands of the victors as he has received from a few public journals.

He may have erred, and doubtless has, for it would be a miracle for any man to hold office so long as he has and satisfy public opinion in every matter; yet he is not what the Breckenridge *News* called him, 'a political John A. Murrell.'

Accept the thanks of a Blaine Republican for your manly and charitable utterances.

J. W. MEADOR.

PRESS NOTES.

The *Capital* says Miss Dollie Higbee is the *Courier Journal's* charming society editress, and that she is as smart as bright women get to be and lovable enough to be editor in chief of some good man's earthly front possessions.

Tom Marts, editor of the Bullitt *Pioneer*, notifies President-elect Cleveland that he does not want an office. He will content himself with a liberal share of patronage for his paper.

Warren county people are somewhat excited over horse thieves in that county. A rope and a telephone post are suggested.

The Sheriff of Graves county, says the *Capital*, has settled in full with the Auditor for the taxes due from that county for the year 1884.

The hod-carriers on the Custom House, which is being erected at Frankfort, have struck for higher wages. They were getting $1 50 and want $2 00.

Park City Times says Wm. Arnold delivered to Lehman Bros. 42 head of fat cattle at six cents. The average weight of the cattle was 1,590 pounds. They were shipped to Baltimore.

The *Herald-Enterprise* gives an account of a team running away in which the owner, Jo Preston, was badly bruised about the head and one of his ears nearly severed from his head.

The *Herald-Enterprise* says Joseph Gregory is about 35 years of age. When about 10 years old he was thrown from a calf which he was riding and his speech so affected that he has stammered very badly ever since. About 10 days ago he was thrown from a mule and considerably bruised, but wonderful to relate, his words now fall as smoothly as from the lips of a trained elocutionist, his stammering having ceased with the fall from the mule.

The Owensboro *Messenger* gives an account of an operation known in medical lore as neurotomy, performed by Dr. A. H. Williams on a horse belonging to J. F. Yager, which proved a signal success.

The notorious Hoosier Bill Allen has at last been captured, says the *Messenger*, and is in the Henderson jail.

The *Courier-Journal's* correspondent reports 2,045 deaths in the plague-stricken district of Eastern Kentucky and the Virginias.

The *Banner* says a fox comes into Princeton once or twice a week and carries off a hen. He has nearly broken up Mrs. Will Templeman's hennery and on last Friday night before bed time, he opened communication with the hennery of Mrs. James Hawthorne.

Albert Banks, Albert Griffith and Frank Helm, three negro boys about 12 years old, concluded to go into the pigeon business in Owensboro, and to get a start they visited the pigeon roost of Dr. Stirman and succeeded in bagging about 21, when the young bucks were bagged themselves. They now receive their meals through a square in an iron wall.

At a party in Barren county, on Saturday night, December the 6th, the *Times* says George Roe stabbed and almost instantly killed Huey Miller. Roe made his escape and a reward of $100 is offered for his delivery to the jailer of Barren county.

The *Gazette* says that two of the prisoners who escaped jail at Bowling Green, recently, have been captured and returned to jail. The other seven are still at large.

Last Wednesday morning, the *Reporter* says, while farmer Towler was driving down Water street, his team ran off. The wheel of the wagon struck a stone and Mr. Towler was thrown out violently. His face and head struck one of the crossing stones and he was badly bruised and in an insensible condition. As the *Reporter* goes to press he is reported dying.

The *Inquirer* says after an illness of about three weeks, Miss Ruth Griffith, daughter of D. M. Griffith, died at her home in Owensboro, Wednesday morning, December 10th, 1884. Funeral services were held at the residence on Thursday evening.

The W. P. Thompson, says the *Messenger*, with Buffalo Bill's Wild West troupe on board, collided with the mail steamer, Captain Miller, on the Mississippi, below St. Josephs, Louisiana, Sunday night of last week, in which the steamer Thompson was sunk. No lives were lost.

Beaver Dam.

December 15, 1884.

Editor Herald:

Messrs. H. B. and L. P. Taylor shipped a car load of fine hogs to Louisville Monday last, for which they realized the highest market price. J. Render, of Butler county, also shipped a car load last week.

Several hogsheads of new tobacco have been shipped from this place.

Several car loads of corn have been received here. This speaks rather badly for our soil or its tillers.

Quite a quantity of tobacco has been delivered here already, and much more will come in during the present season. Henry S. Midkiff is buying and receiving at Horse Branch for Barnard & Nave. I. P. Barnard has purchased the tobacco factory at Horse Branch with a house and lot.

The meeting is still in progress at this place. Large and attentive audiences have been in attendance, especially at night. About 40 professions are reported to this date. Quite an awakening in religious feeling seems to pervade the country. A meeting of considerable interest has been in progress at West Providence. Meetings are now being carried on at East Providence and Green River churches, with good results.

RURAL.

Commissioner's Sale.

OHIO CIRCUIT COURT.

J. F. Rice, - Plaintiff,

Against

J. E. Gates, et. al., Defendants

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale rendered at the November term, 1884, in the above cause and five other causes consolidated therewith, I will offer for sale by public auction, at the Court-house door, in Hartford, Ky., Monday, Jan. 5th, 1885, about 1 o'clock P. M., upon a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, one lot in Cromwell, Ohio county, Ky., upon which the Distillery is located, including the Distillery fixtures, etc. Said lot is bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the edge of the road or street leading to Green river, thence south 72 degrees west 160 feet to a stone; thence south 17 degrees west 205 feet to a stone at low water mark on Green river; thence up said river south 81 degrees east 157 feet at low water mark, thence north 17 degrees east with the edge of the street or road to the beginning.

The purchaser will be required to execute bonds with approved security immediately after sale.

51 2t JOHN P. BARRETT, Master Commissioner.

Prentice.

December 12, 1884.

Editor Herald:

A protracted meeting has been in progress some time at Providence church under the control of Rev J. C. Brandon. Twenty odd persons have been converted, with several more at the altar.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Dec. 10th, by Rev J. C. Brandon, Mr J. W. Wilson to Miss Rosie Gentry. After the ceremony they were tendered a pleasant reception at Mr. L. M. Wilson's. Good luck to them.

Died, at her home, Dec. 6th, Mary, daughter of A. W. and Prudence Taylor, in the fifteenth year of her age. She had been long in ill health when pneumonia attacked her and soon brought on death. She was interred on the day following in the Taylor burying-ground. The bereaved parents have our deepest sympathy.

Henry Taylor, of Liberty, is here, viewing our classic hill and gurgling gulches.

Miss Annie Hocker, of Taylor Mines, is visiting her cousin, Miss Mollie Hoskins, of this place.

John Southard is building a dwelling house. J. E. Wilson, Robt. Kennemur and Allen Gentry are each building a substantial and commodious barn.

BELLE.

Patents Granted

The following patents were granted for the week ending November 11, 1884, reported expressly for this paper by Jos. H. Hunter, Solicitor of American and Foreign Patents, 934 F Street, Washington, D. C.:

Stephen Laneeskes, Louisville, fraction wheel; Fred A Neider, Augusta, buckle and loop

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THE HERALD

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 11, 1884.

OUR AGENTS.

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Attention, Subscribers.

Owing to legal duties requiring my attention during the present term of the Ohio Circuit Court, I find it will be impossible to get ready for the Gift Distribution by Christmas day, and so I have postponed it until New Years day when it will *positively* take place.

The time to subscribe and renew so as to secure a chance has been extended to December 30th. The Gift Distribution will be the biggest thing of the kind ever seen in the county. A fair chance will be given to every subscriber. Do not fail to secure a chance. You get a paper worth $2.00 for $1.50 and the chance beside. Every subscription has a chance. Do not fail to subscribe by December 30th, for the list will *absolutely* close that day. Respectfully,

JOHN P. BARRETT.

PERSONALS

Mr. E. D. Guffy went to Louisville last week on legal business.

We had a pleasant little visit from Miss Mary Bunger last Friday evening

Attorney for County, Kinsolving, went to Rockport last week on legal business.

Mrs. J. S. McDaniel visited her daughter, Mrs. C. Hardwick, at Hartford this week.—*Echo.*

Hon. W. N. Sweeney, of Owensboro, was in attendance at our Circuit Court several days last week.

Col. Wm M. Beatty, Stewartville, is in town attending Circuit Court. We had a call from him while here.

Our Sanctum was visited last Wednesday by Miss Mary Mapel and Mrs. Sam Mapel, of Upper No Creek.

Gus N. Rock, traveling salesman for Hart & Co., wholesale hardware dealers, Louisville, was in town Friday and Saturday.

Miss Lou Ashley, of Bartlett's precinct, was visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. James L. Miller, last week. We had the pleasure of a call from her before returning home last Saturday.

D. V. B. Rains, formerly of Rosine, but now of Caneyville, was in town last week attending Circuit Court. He honored us with a visit while here. We wish him and his great success in their new home.

We had a call from Rev. J. H. James last Thursday. He has been assigned to the Marion Circuit of the Methodist church and was on his way to take charge of his work. His family will remain at their home near Beda, for a time. We wish Brother James abundant success in his new field of labor.

Mr. Isaac Ashby, of Jamesport, Mo., a former citizen of this county is on a visit to friends and relatives in the Centertown neighborhood. He called to see us yesterday and renewed his faith in the HERALD. We were pleased to see him looking so well. He seems that time has dealt quite gently with him.

New Christmas goods at H. Small's.

Candies, candies cheap at the Red Front.

Flannel suitings so cheap at H. B. Taylor & Co's.

If you want to buy nice and cheap goods call on the Trade Palace.

See those new Christmas prints at H. B. Taylor & Co's.

Red Front is overflowing with good things to eat.

Indigo calico eight cents per yard at H. B. Taylor & Co's.

Buy your groceries, produce, provisions &c., at the Red Front.

Call and see those nice handkerchief bags at H. B. Taylor & Co's.

For nice candies, fruits, nuts, &c., go to the Red Front

Hoods, hoods so nice and cheap. Call and see them at H. B. Taylor & Co's.

For oranges, lemons, bananas, apples, cocoanuts &c., go to the Red Front.

Remember that Tuesday, December the 30th, is the last day you can have your name enrolled so as to have a chance in our Gift Distribution.

After you get through looking around, go to Ford's and buy your Christmas goods and be happy.

Don't fail to take a chance in our Gift Distribution. We will send you the HERALD from now until January 1st, 1886, and give you a chance besides, for $1 50.

Mr. E. T. Williams, of the firm of Williams Brothers, was in Louisville several days this week buying holiday goods. Their goods will be here in a day or two. Those wishing something nice, would do well to await their arrival.

We have received a letter from our old friend and patron, Mr. Nat F. Arbuckle, of Lingo, Macon county, Missouri, enclosing $3 00 for the HERALD. He has been taking the HERALD for nearly 10 years, and says that he can't do without it. He sends regards to Hon. E. Dudley Walker, Lounis Morton, Captain S. K. Cox and all of his old friends in this county, where he formerly lived.

The roads are awfully sloppy.

See those $2 50 boots at H. Small's.

A large crowd will be here New Year's day.

Christmas goods suitable for making nice presents, at Griffin & Bro's.

"Rough on Rats" clears out Rats Mice. 15c.

"Rough on Corns," for Corns, Bunions. 15c.

Thin people. "Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, &c. $1.

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Ladies who would retain freshness and vivacity don't fail to try "Wells' Health Renewer."

"Buchu-paiba," great kidney and urinary cure.

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My husband (writes a lady) is three times the man since using "Wells' Health Renewer."

If you are failing, broken, worn out and nervous, use "Wells' Health Renewer." 1 dollar.

Prevalence of Kidney complaint in America; "Buchu-paiba" is a quick, complete cure. 1 dollar.

For a nice autograph, album, scrap book, poem, or anything in that line, call at Griffin Bro's.

A wedding will take place in Hartford in the near future—the parties to which live in other counties.

In the first line of the poem, 'The Tattooed Knight,' a false type renders illegible the word 'Isles.'

We publish this week the Judgment and opinion of Judge Little in the case of Porter and others against Porter and others, in the Ohio Circuit Court.

Mr. J. J. Bozarth, contractor and builder, accidentally cut one of his legs with a hand-ax, one day last week, from which he has received considerable pain.

Mrs. A. P. Hudson, of Hartford, has woven 529 yards of carpeting since last February, and has kept a boarding house and has done the most of her household work beside.

Our young friends, Henry and Eugene Aull have purchased R. P. Rowe's stock of dry goods and clothing and will carry on business at the same stand.

Ladies' and childrens' cloaks, dolmans and Russian circulars are selling during Christmas week at half their value at H. Small's.

Mince meat, apple butter, jellies, preserves, black-berry jam, pickles chow chow, pigs feet, kraut, codfish, oat meal, buckwheat flour &c., at the Red Front.

New caps for men and boys very cheap at Hocker & Co.

On Idiot day at the present term of the Circuit Court a new officer egregiously mistook a young lawyer for an idiot. It made the idiots furious. The lawyer got mud has.

The protracted meeting at the Beaver Dam Baptist Church is still in progress, conducted by Revs. Kelly Maddox and Banks, with the assistance of Ellis Maddox. Thirty six conversions and thirty-three additions to the church are the fruits so far.

Wade Daniel, living near town, was in town Thursday night and in a difficulty with another man from the same neighborhood, was struck a severe blow about the face with a brick-bat or club Daniel was considerably intoxicated.

Pate, the famous plasterer, of Litchfield, is here plastering the new building of Mr. Clarence Hardwick. He will also plaster the new Baptist church —carrying both jobs on at the same time.

A meeting has been in progress at Green River church for about two weeks past, under the auspices of Revs. B. W. Neal and Lewis Voyles. Up to this writing there have been 10 conversions and several additions to the church. The church has been greatly revived and much good has been done.

In our offer for premiums for the largest Clubs of Subscribers, we of course mean what we say. We offer the premiums to the persons securing the largest number of subscribers, not to the persons who collects the largest number of subscriptions from those who are already subscribers. For this we allow no commissions and give no premiums. tf

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A prominent physician of Pittsburg said to a lady patient who was complaining of her continued ill health, and of his inability to cure her, jokingly said: "Try Hop Bitters!" The lady took it in earnest and used the Bitters, from which she obtained permanent health. She now laughed at the Doctor for his joke, but he is not so well pleased with it, as it cost him a good patient.

Fees of Doctors.

The fee of doctors at $3.00 a visit would tax a man for a year, and in need of a daily visit over $1,000 a year for medical attendance alone. And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the $1,000 and all the year's sickness.

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S. A. Williams has received a nice assortment of goods especially for the Christmas holidays. Call and see them.

Somebody said the young men were going to give an eclipsing New Year's hop.

A fellow-burgher, who rashly declared he wouldn't take another drink in Hartford if Cleveland was elected, was in town for a few moments last Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

For pictures, chromos, gems, children's and misses' furniture and all kinds of parlor and household furniture, call on S. A. Williams.

As the holidays approach, each household begins to look around to see where they can get the nicest and best selection for their little ones. To save time and expense, go at once to Thomas Brothers, who can fit you out in any kind of a gift from a China doll to a boy's express wagon. Call and examine their Christmas goods and make your selection.

The late rains have given the farmers a good opportunity to strip and deliver their tobacco. Many have availed themselves of the opportunity. Mr. John L. Barnett, tobacconist, received a large quantity during the last few days.

When you get ready to buy your Christmas presents for your little ones and friends, don't fail to come and see my goods. S. A. WILLIAMS.

Hocker & Co., Are now receiving new goods for the christmas trade. these goods have been bought at closing out prices and will be sold low for cash or country produce.

Sabbath School Entertainment.

The Union Sabbath school will have a levee at the Court house, Wednesday, December 24th, from 5 to 7 P. M. A novel and pleasant entertainment is promised. Persons desiring to make presents to friends can do so by delivering them plainly marked to the committie. Patrons and friends of the school are requested to make contributions to the committee for the children. The entertainment will close early so all can attend the unloading of the Christmas tree at the Methodist church.

Dramatic.

The budding Hartford Cornet Band will unfold itself during Christmas week, assisted by the best fairer-sex talent in town. On Thursday night they will present the scintillating play "Down by the Sea"; and on Friday night, the popular "Esmeralda" and the excruciatingly funny afterpiece "Lend me five Shillings."

Christmas Tree.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Methodist church on Wednesday night, December 24th. The tree will be under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday-school, but everybody is cordially invited to participate. A big audience is expected and a pleasant time anticipated.

WANTED,

All the boys and girls in Beaver Dam and vicinity to call and see our Christmas goods. Hocker & Co.

RED FRONT RHYME.

Candy nice and candy neat,
Candy red and candy sweet,
Candy peaches, candy hogs,
Candy apples, candy dogs,
Candy dolls and candy hearts,
Candy cupids, candy darts,
Candy oranges, candy sheep,
Candy roosters, candy cheap,
Candy horses, candy words,
Candy shoes and candy birds,
Candy lemons, candy limes,
Candy suiting Christmas times.

The Herald's Gift Distribution

Will come off New Years day. We will distribute a large number of useful and valuable New Years Presents to our patrons. We have engaged the services of Old Santa Claus, who has solemnly promised us not to let any one in this region have a New Years gift unless he is a patron of the HERALD. Every subscriber whose time expires in 1884, and who renews for one year, and every new subscriber for one year, provided such renewal or such new subscription is made on or before December 30, 1884, and provided said subscriber has squared up all indebtedness to this office by said date has a FREE chance in the distribution of the following articles, viz:

One fine Organ, from D. H. Baldwin & Co., Fourth Avenue, Louisville, Ky	$160
One fine Top Buggy, of D. F. Tracy dealer in buggies, wagons, plows, &c., Hartford, Ky	150
One New American No 7 Sewing Machine, of Reid, Haden & Co., agents at Rockport, Ky	50 00
One two-horse Oliver Chilled Plow of Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford, Ky	8 00
One Lady's Gold Watch, from C. P. Barnes & Bro., Jewelers, Main street, Louisville, Ky	50 00
One eight-day clock that strikes hour and half hour, of Thomas & Kimbley, Hartford	6 00
One pair of fine all-wool blankets, of H. Small's Trade Palace, Hartford	5 00
One pair of nice lamps, $3 00, and one pair of nice vases, $1 50, of Z Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists., Hartford	4 50
One pair Ladies' Shoes, from L. F. Woerner, maker, repairer and dealer in boots and shoes, Hartford, Ky	3 00
One nice parlor Swing Lamp, from Thomas & Kimbley, druggists, Hartford, Ky	3 50
Order for merchandise on I. P. Barnard's Trade Palace, Beaver Dam	5 00
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Order for merchandise on Hocker & Co., General Merchants, Beaver Dam	5 00
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Order for merchandise on Hocker & Co., General Merchants, Beaver Dam	3 00
One oil red table linen with napkins to match, from H. B. Taylor & Co.'s Temple of Fashion, Hartford	2 50
One oil red table linen, damask finish, with napkins to match, from H. B Taylor & Co.'s Temple of Fashion, Hartford	3 50
One Japan water set, from Williams Brothers, grocers, Hartford	4 00
1 ladies fine worsted dress pattern, of Anderson's Bazaar, Hartford	6 00
1 pair gents water-proof boots of Anderson's Bazaar, Hartford	5 00
1 Sausage Grinder, 1 Steel Shovel and 1 Steel Spade from James L. Miller, dealer in groceries and hardware, Hartford	3 00
1 bbl. Patent Flour, from W. H. Williams & Son, proprietors of the Red Front	7 00
1 Fine Rocker, from S. A. Williams, dealer in all kinds of Furniture, Hartford	3 00
One Wright's Speedy Corn-Sheller, from Thomas Brothers, dealers in groceries, hardware and saddlery	4 00
1 fine Trunk, from Jas. A. Thomas dealer in dry goods, clothing and general merchandise	6 00
1 gent's Valise, from James A. Thomas, dealer in dry goods, clothing and general merchandise, Hartford	2 50
1 two-horse Shovel Plow, from R. H. Gillespie, blacksmith, Hartford	7 00

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Our Hartford.

Shortly ago a check for subscription to the HERALD came to us from Owensboro, for which we are thankful. But the check is paltry compared to the mellifluous words that came with it, and which we take the liberty to divulge.

"May you live long and prosper. For if there is any place on the Lord's green footstool where a man is entitled both to live and prosper, Hartford is that place. I have been all the way from Rough Creek to the Mediterranean Sea, and am prepared to say that Hartford has more clever people in it to the square inch than can be found in any other place of the same size in the Old World or the New. A walk from the old pump that stands in front of Wayne Griffin's to the little office in Jim Ford's drug store has more charms about it for me than all the glittering show to be seen in Trafalgar Square, Westminster Abbey or St. Paul's. And now that a National Democratic victory has been proclaimed, I shall expect to hear that Hartford has come in for its full share of the blessings which the country may reasonably expect as the result of so glorious a triumph."

BIRTHS.

ALLEN.—To the wife of Christopher Allen, east of town, December 9th, 1884, a son. Dr. Hoover attending physician.

GODSHAW.—To the wife of A. Godshaw, Beda, Ky, December 10th, 1884, a fine daughter. Dr. Hoover attending physician.

HERRELD.—To the wife of Robert Herreld, Cromwell, Ky, Friday night, December 12, 1884, a fine son—Grover Cleveland. Dr. Jo W. Taylor attending physician.

MARRIAGES.

BAIRD-TICHENOR.—At the residence of the bride's father, Wm. B. Tichenor, near Beda, by the Rev. Joseph A. Bennett, Ezra C. Baird and Miss Amelia G. Tichenor. May they have happiness through life, few sorrows to molest them, and as they behold the bow in the heavens, may it remind them that God remembers man, and when they must separate may it be in the evening of life. J. A. B.

DIED.

ROSS.—Mrs. Wm. Ross, near Beda, December 12th, 1884, after a short illness, pronounced by Drs. Pendleton and Hoover pelvic cellulitis with peritonitic abscess.

HOCKER.—A little son of Leslie Hocker, living in Upper No Creek, died Sunday morning and was buried Monday morning.

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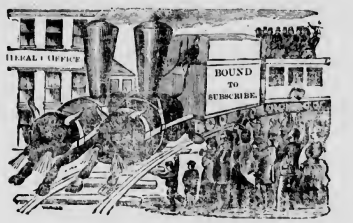

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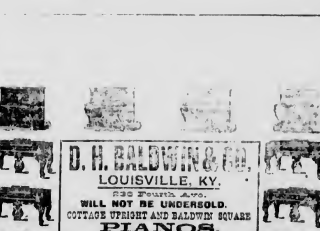

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